IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA No. DA 10-0066 ORIGINAL

Ed Smith CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT STATE OF MONTANA

STATE OF MONTANA,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

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v.

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CLINTON D. ROOT,

Ed Smith CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

Defendant and Appellant.

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

To: Ed Smith, Clerk of Supreme Court

Please note and enter the appearance of Lisa S. Korchinski, Assistant Appellate Defender, Office of State Public Defender, Appellate Defender Office, P.O. Box 200145, Helena, Montana, as appointed counsel for the Defendant named above for purposes of this appeal.

Respectfully submitted this 9th day of March, 2010.

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